

25 YEAR RE-REVIEW

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Robert Amory, Jr., educator, lawyer and author, on May 1, 1953 will be named Deputy Director for Intelligence of the Central Intelligence Agency, succeeding Loftus E. Becker who has resigned to resume his legal practice as the Washington partner of the New York City firm of Cahill, Gordon, Zachry and Reindel, according to Allen W. Dulles, Director of Central Intelligence. Mr. Amory since March 1952 has been principal assistant to Mr. Becker. In March of this year the President appointed Mr. Amory to the Planning Board of the National Security Council.

A professor of law and accounting at Harvard University, Mr. Amory is the author of "Surf and Sand" and "Materials on Accounting," and is a member of the bars of New York, New Hampshire and Massachusetts. He is a brother of Cleveland Amory, author of "The Proper Bostonians" and "The Last Resort." Mr. Amory was born in Boston, March 2, 1915; was graduated from Harvard College in 1936 and from Harvard Law School in 1938. He entered the Army as a private in 1941 and was discharged as a colonel in 1946, having commanded an amphibian engineer battalion and a regiment in the New Guinea and Philippine campaigns. He is married to the former Mary Armstrong of New York; they have two children, and live at 2750 32nd Street, N. W., Washington.

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Biographical data on Messrs. Amory and Becker attached.

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LOFTUS E. BECKER

A New York City attorney with Cahill, Gordon, Zachry, and Reindel since 1938, Mr. Becker came to CIA in April 1951. Enlisting as a private in the United States Army in 1942, he was discharged in 1945 with the rank of major. After service with the Ninth Army in Europe, he attended the Nuremberg trials as an advisor on German military organizations.

Mr. Becker was born in Buffalo, New York, on April 29, 1911. He was educated in the public schools there and at Harvard College and Harvard Law School, receiving his B. A. in 1932 and his LL. B. in 1936. After graduation he was associated with a law firm in Honolulu for two years before returning to his home state.

Married to the former Ellen Van der Voort of Ingomar, Pa., he has three children.